Carlsbad Police Department



PRESS RELEASE

CRIME/INCIDENT:	Police Pursuit Wanted Suspect in 288 P.C.	CASE:	08-2924
DATE:	04-11-08	TIME:	2018 hrs
LOCATION:	Palomar Airport Rd and Interstate I-5		
SUSPECT 1:	Lucio Vazquez	AGE:	34
SUSPECT 2:		AGE:	
SUSPECT 3:		AGE:	
VICTIM 2:		AGE:	

SUMMARY:

On 04-11-2008, at approximately 2018 hrs, Carlsbad Police Officer Shaun Lawton located a white Toyota Tundra pick up truck fleeing from Escondido Police Officers in the City of Carlsbad. The driver of the pick up, Lucio Vasquez, of Escondido was wanted in connection for a lewd or lascivious act committed on a child. Vasquez evaded police by driving without any lights on and traveling at speeds in excess of 90 miles per hour W/B on Palomar Airport Rd.

Officer Lawton located the fleeing vehicle still traveling W/B on Palomar Airport Rd at Interstate I-5. Lawton followed the vehicle with his emergency lights and siren S/B on I-5. Vasquez exited the freeway at Poinsettia Avenue, drove around some vehicles stopped at a red light at Avenida Encinas and continued N/B. Vasquez made a right turn and stopped in the 700 Blk of Raintree Avenue.

A felony hot stop was conducted on Vasquez who was taken into custody without further incident. Vasquez was turned over to Escondido Police Department.

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